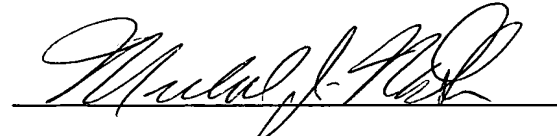


REMARKS

Claims 1 and 2 have been allowed. In reviewing the file in preparation for paying the issue fee, it was noted that the word "pivotal" was misspelled in claim 2, last line, and this has been corrected with the above amendment. Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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